

KAAAC News

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Two-Thousand Eleven

In celebration this year of Dr. King's Birthday

Compassion

"Ultimately a great nation is a compassionate nation."

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. (1929-1968)

Living the Dream, Inc.

Cordially Invites You To

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday Celebration and

Celebrating the 26th Anniversary of Living the Dream, Inc.

Saturday, January 15, 2011

Ramada Hotel and Convention Center - Regency Ballroom 420 SE Sixth Street, Topeka, Kansas

Dinner: 6:30 pm

\$30.00 per person • \$35.00 per person to reserve a party of eight or ten

(You must have a party of eight or ten to reserve a table.)

Please complete the enclosed response card and return to Living the Dream, Inc. by Monday, January 10, 2011. **\$40.00 per person after the January 10th deadline.** Pslack Tie Optional

Living the Dream, Inc. Dinner Entrees

Menu

SALAD

Elegant Tomato and Mozzarella Salad Yellow and Red Vine Ripened Tomatoes, Micro Varietals Simmered Basil Oil with Balsamic Vinaigrette

<u>ENTRÉE</u>

Petite Chateaux 10 oz. Sliced Tender Beef Cracked Pepper Bordelaise (Prepared medium well-to-well done)

Served with Striped New Potatoes, Long Bean Blend Vegetables

Bakery Fresh rolls

Degetarian Menu

SALAD

Elegant Tomato and Mozzarella Salad Yellow and Red Vine Ripened Tomatoes, Micro Varietals Simmered Basil Oil with Balsamic Vinaigrette

ENTRÉE

Vegetarian Pot Pie

Onion, Potato, Carrot, Mushrooms and Green Peas Baked inside a flaky puff pastry crust

Long Bean Blend Vegetables

Bakery Fresh rolls

Freshly Brewed Coffee, Decaffeinated Coffee and Sweet Tea

DESSERT

Hot Fudge Chocolate Cake Solo, Lemon Sponge Solo

Living the Dream, Inc. 26th Anniversary After Glow Party

Grand Ballroom

Immediately following the banquet • Cash Bar

Please plan to attend and finish celebrating with us.

Living the Dream, Inc.: Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. 2011 Calendar of Events

Sunday, January 9 through Monday, January 17

Student Art Competition

Student Essay Competition

Student Poetry Competition

Representatives from the Topeka Police & Fire Department, the Sheriff's Office, and Kansas Highway Patrol will be conducting presentations for elementary students

Board Members will visit and read to Pre-Schoolers

Sunday, January 9

Unity in the Commun ity Day Musical Festival

Monday, January 10 through Friday January 14
Educational Outreach Week – Pre-School
through Elementary

Wednesday, January 12

Respect for Elders' Week

The Greater Topeka Chamber of

Commerce/GO Topeka/DBE Workshop

The Poetry Competition

Thursday, January 13

Youth Day - Drumming for the Drum Major

Friday, January 14

Phillip V. Ashford, Jr. Stop

the Violence Day

Community Leadership Recognition Luncheon

Kansas Juvenile Justice Outreach

Saturday, January 15

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s

Scholarship and Awards Banquet

Sunday, January 16

Religion Day

Monday, January 17

"Whose Dream Is It?"



Job Title: Secretary (OA)

Department: Department of Agriculture

Agency: Farm Service Agency

Job Announcement Number: UK421026-KS-DR

Salary Range: \$38,790.00 - \$55,844.00 /year

Series & Grade: GS-0318-07/08

Promotion Potential: 08

Open Period: Tuesday, December 28, 2010 to Monday, January 10, 2011

Position Information: Full Time Career/Career Conditional

Duty Locations: 1 vacancy - Manhattan, KS

Key Requirements:

You must be a US Citizen or National to apply

- Required to pass a background investigation and fingerprint check
- Registered for Selective Service, if applicable
- Meet education and/or experience requirements. Type 40 words per minute
- Complete Occupational Questionnaire and submit resume/supporting documents

Major Duties:

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This position is assigned to the FSA Kansas State Office, Office of the State Executive Director located in Manhattan, Riley County, KS

The selectee:

- Serves as secretary and personal assistant to the State Executive Director (SED), with responsibility for performing nad coordinating a variety of administrative and clerical support functions necessary fo the effective operation of the SED's immediate office and the State FSA Office (STO)
- Serves as confidential assistant to the SED on matters of a sensitive nature as well as secretary to the State FSA Committee (STC) and the State Emergency Board
- Requires the skills of a qualified typist is required to perform word processing and other office automation duties.

All qualification requirements must be met by Monday, January 10, 2011

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Job Title: Program Technician (CO)

Department: Department of Agriculture

Agency: Farm Service Agency

Job Announcement Number: KS100109

Salary Range: \$24,933.00 - \$50,431.00 /year

Series & Grade: CO-1101-03/07

Promotion Potential: 07

Open Period: Wednesday, December 29, 2010 to Friday, January 14, 2011

Position Information: Full Time Permanent

Duty Locations: 1 vacancy - Oberlin, KS

Key Requirements:

U.S. Citizenship

- Application/resume and supplemental KSA statements
- Registered for Selective Service, if applicable
- Background and/or Security Investigation required

Major Duties:

Responsible for carrying out office activities and functions pertaining to the technical assistance and program support related to FSA programs at the field office level.

Utilizes various types of computer systems to maintain producer data and process automated program forms and processes. Uses a high degree of initiative and judgment in planning and carrying out assigned tasks and resolving problems encountered.

Qualifications:

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All candidates must be U.S. Citizens, high school graduates or equivalent, and at least 18 years of age or 17 years for high school graduates.

Ability to communicate orally

Ability to communicate in writing

Ability to identify and resolve problems

Knowledge of FSA Farm Programs, practices and customs

Skill in using computers

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